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Method of Vending Same

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The Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**

Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows  
(check appropriate time period):

Within first month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))

Within second month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))

Within third month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$930.00

Within fourth month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))

Within fifth month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ 465.00.

A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

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Enclosures: Check for extension with one-month request fee; Amendment A